

# Precertified Eligible for California's Renewables Portfolio Standard

This is to officially state that beginning on **September 20, 2012**, the proposed facility:

## Rugged Solar LLC

**Owned by Rugged Solar LLC,  
To be Located in Boulevard, CA,  
And Anticipating the Commencement of Commercial Operations on:  
December 31, 2014**

Is precertified by the California Energy Commission as eligible for California's Renewables Portfolio Standard (RPS) under the criteria specified in the **Renewables Portfolio Standard Eligibility Guidebook, Sixth Edition**, publication number CEC-300-2012-006-CMF, August 2012, and the **Overall Program Guidebook, Fifth Edition**, publication number CEC-300-2012-005-ED5-CMF, August 2012, and assigned CEC-RPS-ID number:

### 62047C

**RECEIPT OF PRECERTIFICATION STATUS DOES NOT GUARANTEE THAT THIS FACILITY WILL BE ELIGIBLE FOR RPS CERTIFICATION IN THE FUTURE.**

The application for RPS precertification of this proposed facility was submitted by **Brison Ellinghaus**, of **Rugged Solar LLC**, on behalf of the facility owner **Rugged Solar LLC**. The accuracy of the information in the submitted application for RPS precertification was attested to by **Clark Crawford**, the **Attorney in fact of Soitec Solar Development its Sole Member**.

The proposed facility has an identified total nameplate capacity, measured in alternating current, of

**80 MW**

And will use the following energy resources:

	Energy Resource	Anticipated Annual Percent*	Renewable**
1	photovoltaic	100	yes
2			
3			

\* Anticipated annual percent contribution to the electrical output of the facility is based on the **no nonrenewable fuel used** measurement methodology, as identified in the submitted application for RPS precertification.

\*\*California RPS eligible Renewable Energy Credits will not be created for any electricity resulting from the use of nonrenewable energy resources, except in the cases where the use of nonrenewable energy resources does not exceed a de minimis quantity or other allowance as may be specified in the Renewables Portfolio Standard Eligibility Guidebook in place at the time an application for RPS certification is submitted to the California Energy Commission for the proposed facility.

**This precertification is based on an evaluation of the potential RPS-eligibility of the proposed facility, as described in the application for precertification and supporting documentation, under the Renewables Portfolio Standard Eligibility Guidebook, Fifth Edition. The RPS-eligibility of this facility will be evaluated pursuant to the Renewables Portfolio Standard Eligibility Guidebook in place at the time a complete application for certification is submitted to the California Energy Commission.**

**The precertification of the Rugged Solar LLC facility may be revoked if any of the information presented in the application for precertification, or supporting documentation, submitted to the California Energy Commission is determined to be false or inaccurate.**

**The California Energy Commission must be notified promptly of any changes to the information included in the application for precertification of the proposed facility, as specified in the Renewables Portfolio Standard Eligibility Guidebook, Fifth Edition. Failure to do so within 90 days of the change in information may result in the revocation of the facility's RPS precertification.**